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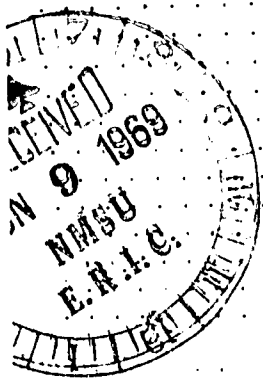
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Information on scholarship aids which have been established specifically for Indian students is provided in this pamphlet. Federal aids described are grants, working scholarships, loans, veterans benefits, aids for degree studies in specific subject matter fields, and aids for non-degree studies and technical and vocational training. Various state aids are also included, in addition to tribal aids, grants, and loans. Scholarships offered by colleges, universities, and nursing schools are listed, as well as those offered by churches, foundations, and other organizations. A directory of Bureau of Indian Affairs offices, a bibliography, and an index conclude the document. (SW)

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**DEDICATED**  
to  
**AMANDA H. FINLEY**

Miss Finley served the Bureau with distinction from May 16, 1935, to December 31, 1967. Beginning her career as a clerk in the Muskogee, Oklahoma, office in the Personnel division, she progressed to other assignments of increasing responsibility in Oklahoma and on the Navajo Reservation in Arizona. In 1955, she was called to the Washington office to supervise the Higher Education Scholarship Program administered by the Bureau. She has been an outstanding champion for Indian youth in their efforts to gain education and training beyond the high school level. Through her untiring efforts as Scholarships Officer, over ten thousand Indian students received opportunities for college education. Bureau scholarship grants for Indian youth increased from less than ten thousand dollars per year in 1954, to more than two million dollars per year in 1967, the year of her retirement. In addition, Miss Finley contributed greatly to the establishment of scholarships for Indians by tribal, private, and other organizations. Tribal groups now contribute over one million dollars per year for this purpose, contrasted to less than ten thousand dollars in 1954. For her dedicated service and outstanding contributions, which have resulted in higher education and training of thousands of Indian youth who would otherwise have had no opportunity for educational and professional advancement, we dedicate this revision of the publication she originated.

## FOREWORD

Although this pamphlet is published to provide information on scholarship aids which have been established specifically for Indian students, it is expected that the Indian students needing scholarship assistance will also apply to the same sources that supply financial assistance generally - to colleges and universities, to organizations, and to State and Federal programs.

Since this pamphlet was first issued in 1956, the number of scholarships for Indian students has increased considerably, notably among tribal groups. Other scholarship aids have been established to help students of low-income families of all races. Federal funds have been provided for opportunity grants, student loans, and work-study programs, all of which are administered by the majority of colleges and universities. These and the financial aids provided directly by the colleges and universities have created opportunities for thousands of youths who could not otherwise acquire a college education.

Federally guaranteed loans have made it possible for many youths, including those who have not completed high school, to obtain vocational training in the fields of their interest. A major development in vocational education has been provided by those community colleges which enable high school graduates to continue their education locally at little or no additional expense.

It is unrealistic to expect that the financial assistance programs established solely for Indian students can ever meet the education needs of the increasing numbers of high school graduates who seek advanced training. For this reason, the first section of this pamphlet describes briefly the Federal programs of financial assistance for students needing help in meeting their expenses in schools above the high school level.



## **FEDERAL AIDS GRANTS**

The United States Government, through the Bureau of Indian Affairs, provides annual scholarships to Indian students to enable them to attend institutions of higher learning.

Scholarship recipients must have 1/4 or more degree Indian, Eskimo or Aleut blood and membership in a tribal group served by the Bureau. The scholarships are made primarily to youth residing on Indian reservations or other Indian-owned, tax-exempt lands located nearby. Students are expected to seek financial aid through the college of their choice and other sources before applying for Federal scholarship assistance. Both financial need and scholastic ability are considered in determining applicants' eligibility.

The annual amount appropriated by Congress for scholarships is apportioned among the Bureau's Area Offices. Application should be made to the proper Area Office through the Agency Office having record of the applicant's tribal membership.

Application forms may be obtained from the Area Offices listed on pages 48 - 50.

## **WORKING SCHOLARSHIPS**

Working scholarships (room and board in exchange for 14 hours of work a week) are available for Indian students at a few Federal boarding schools located near colleges and universities.

These scholarships are limited to the number of spaces not required by the schools for students in the regular programs.

Inquiries should be directed to the Area Offices within whose jurisdiction the Federal boarding schools are located.

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## **LOANS**

The United States Government, through the Bureau of Indian Affairs, makes educational loans for higher education to Indian young people who are not eligible for loans from a corporation, tribe, or band conducting credit operations and who are ineligible for loans from a credit association. These direct loans are made only to applicants who are of 1/4 or more degree of Indian blood, are members of tribes served by the Bureau, and live on Indian reservations or other Indian-owned, tax-exempt lands.

Educational loans are made to students who otherwise cannot finance themselves in higher education. Whenever loans are necessary, students are urged to apply only for the minimum amounts required. Unless special circumstances hold, loans are limited to \$500 for each school year.

Application must be made through the office of the agency where the student or his parents are enrolled as Indians. That office will furnish complete information concerning the requirements and will supply the necessary application forms.

The list of tribal groups making loans to individuals is included on pages 27 - 28 of this pamphlet.

## **VETERANS BENEFITS**

Under the Veterans Readjustment Benefits Act of 1965, veterans who have been on active duty at some time since 1955 are eligible for payments ranging from \$100-150 per month for full-time study at any accredited educational institution. Veterans should apply to their Regional Veterans Administration offices.

## **FEDERAL AIDS FOR DEGREE STUDIES IN SPECIFIC SUBJECT MATTER FIELDS**

### **ARTS AND HUMANITIES STUDIES**

**Grants for Progress in the Arts.** Matching grants for progress in the arts are offered to individual artists, nonprofit art organizations, and official State arts agencies. For more information write to the National Endowment for the Arts, 1800 G Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20506.

**Arts and Humanities Research.** Individuals as well as universities, local school districts, and nonprofit institutions may participate in this program which supports research to improve teaching in all the arts. For more information write to the Bureau of Research, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington, D. C. 20202.

**Opportunities in Librarianship.** Undergraduates and others interested in training for librarianships may qualify for grants covering cost of college courses plus stipends and travel and dependents' allowances. Information may be obtained from participating colleges or the Division of Library Services, Bureau of Adult and Vocational Education, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington D. C. 20202.

### **MEDICINE AND HEALTH CAREERS**

**Public Health Training for American Indians.** Operated through the Division of Indian Health, U. S. Public Health Service, this program is exclusively for American Indians. After completion of training, the participants are employed in Indian Health Service facilities on Indian reservations. For more information write to any local office of the Division of Indian Health or to the Division of Indian Health Headquarters, Willste Building, 7915 Eastern Avenue, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910.

## **CAREERS IN THE PHYSICAL SCIENCES**

**Pre-College Education in Science.** Secondary school students may apply to institutions conducting Secondary Science Training Projects. High school teachers of science and mathematics may apply to institutions conducting programs supported by the National Science Foundation. For more information write to the Division of Pre-College Education in Science, National Science Foundation, Washington, D.C. 20550.

**Graduate Education in Science.** Graduate students and post-doctoral scholars in the sciences are eligible to apply for fellowships and traineeships. For more information contact the Division of Graduate Education in Science, National Science Foundation, Washington, D. C. 20550.

**Water Pollution Control – Research Fellowships.** For more information write to the Federal Water Pollution Control Administration, Department of the Interior, 633 Indiana Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20242.

**Nuclear Science and Engineering.** Postdoctoral fellowships in nuclear science and pre-doctoral fellowships in nuclear science and engineering are supported by grants from the Atomic Energy Commission. Direct inquiries to Dr. A. W. Zeigler, University Relations Branch, Division of Nuclear Education and Training, Atomic Energy Commission, Washington D.C. 20545.

**Space Science and Technology.** Pre-doctoral training programs in space science and technology are supported by grants from the National Aeronautics and Space Agency.

For application, apply to the graduate school of your choice. For information concerning participating institutions write to the Office of University Affairs (Y), National Aeronautics and Space Agency, Washington, D. C. 20546.

## **TEACHING CAREERS**

**National Teacher Corps.** An opportunity to earn a master's degree in tuition-free instruction is offered through the National

Teacher Corps. It is open to teachers who hold a bachelor's degree and are interested in becoming teachers of the disadvantaged. Interns are paid the entrance salary rates of the school districts in which they serve and receive free graduate instruction. For more information write to the National Teacher Corps, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington, D. C. 20202.

**NDEA Institutes for Advanced Study.** These federally financed institutes are conducted every summer at colleges and universities in every State. Study is offered for teachers in 12 fields: History, geography, reading, English, English as a foreign language, economics, civics, industrial arts; and for teachers of disadvantaged youth, for school library personnel, and for educational media specialists. Participants pay no tuition and receive a weekly stipend plus family allowances.

For information write to the Division of Education Personnel Training, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington, D. C. 20202.

**Prospective Teacher Fellowship Program.** The purpose of this program is to improve elementary and secondary school teaching by strengthening the preparation and improving the qualifications of college graduates committed to teaching careers. Fellowships are awarded for one to two years of graduate study leading to an advanced degree other than the doctorate.

The award provides for a stipend of \$2,000 for the first academic year, a similar amount for the second, and an allowance of \$600 for each dependent. Tuition is also paid under the program.

Eligibility requirements are numerous. For more information write to the Graduate Academic Programs Branch, Bureau of Higher Education, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington, D. C. 20202.

**Training for Instructors in Basic Adult Education.** Financial aid is available to persons training to become teachers in basic education programs for adults. Eligibility requirements are flexible. Persons selected receive stipends and allowances for themselves and dependents. For more information write to the

Division of Adult Education Programs, Bureau of Adult and Vocational Training, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Washington, D. C. 20202.

**Guidance and Counseling Institutes.** Short-term summer institutes offer opportunities to improve the knowledge and skills of individuals engaged in guidance and counseling work or preparing for this field. For more information write to the Division of Educational Personnel Training, Bureau of Elementary and Secondary Education, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington, D. C. 20202.

**Special Summer Programs in Foreign Language and Foreign Area Studies.** The Office of Education contracts with institutions of higher education for special intensive summer programs offering graduate work in area studies and language, and undergraduate work in language only. For more information write to the Division of Foreign Studies, Bureau of Higher Education, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington, D.C. 20202.

**National Teaching Fellowships.** This program makes it possible for highly qualified graduate students and junior faculty members from other institutions to serve in approved developing institutions. Candidates are nominated by the participating institution. A fellow receives a stipend of up to \$6,500 per academic year, plus \$400 for each dependent. For further information write to the Division of College Support, Bureau of Higher Education, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington D. C. 20202.

#### **CAREERS IN SOCIAL SERVICE AND AID TO THE HANDICAPPED**

**Social Work Careers.** Students interested in careers as social workers in public welfare programs should write to their State Director of Public Welfare for information about stipends and fellowships offered through a federally supported grant program.

**Vocational Rehabilitation Grants.** Traineeship grants provide specialized courses in rehabilitation for persons employed in serving the disabled. Grants are provided in fields closely related



to rehabilitation of the disabled, such as medicine, nursing, physical and occupational therapy, psychology, rehabilitation counseling, social work, speech pathology, etc.

Further information about rehabilitation research fellowships may be obtained through the Division of Training, Vocational Rehabilitation Administration, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington, D. C. 20202.

**Training of Professional Personnel for Care of Crippled Children.** This program provides grants to train professional personnel for health and related care of crippled children and those who are mentally retarded. The grants are made to public or nonprofit private institutions. For information contact the institution of your choice and the Children's Bureau, Welfare Administration, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington, D. C. 20202.

**Programs for Teachers of the Handicapped.** Grants toward institutional costs are given to institutions of higher education to educate teachers and others who work with the mentally handicapped. Inquire through your college or Handicapped Children and Youth Program, Bureau of Elementary and Secondary Education, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington, D. C. 20202.

### **HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE DEAF**

Gallaudet College in Washington, D. C., which gets most of its support from the Federal Government, is the only college for the deaf in the world. It offers baccalaureate degrees in arts and sciences, with 22 major fields of study.

A graduate department of education trains both deaf and "hearing" teachers of the deaf. For information write to the Dean of Admissions, Gallaudet College, 7th Street and Florida Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20002.

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**UPWARD BOUND.** This is a national precollege program designed to motivate high school students to attain their academic potential through summer programs and follow-up programs during the academic year.

Students may be referred by teachers, counselors, or local welfare authorities. The academic institution conducting the program has final responsibility for student selection.

For information contact your high school counselor or Upward Bound, Office of Economic Opportunity, Washington, D. C. 20506.

**POST HIGH SCHOOL TRAINING FOR AMERICAN INDIANS.** The Bureau of Indian Affairs offers post high school technical courses at Haskell Institute (Lawrence, Kansas), and arts at the Institute of American Indian Arts (Santa Fe, New Mexico).

Enrollment is limited to students who are one-fourth or more degree Indian blood, have membership in a tribe served by the Bureau, live on or near an Indian reservation or on other Indian-owned tax-exempt land. (The residence requirement is waived for students applying for the Institute of American Indian Arts.)

For further information contact your local agency, any BIA field office, or the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, Washington, D. C. 20242.

**VOCATIONAL TRAINING PROGRAM (PL 959)** The Bureau of Indian Affairs, under the provisions of Public Law 959, makes available vocational training in a wide variety of courses offered at trade or vocational schools in many locations.

Eligibility is based on (1) membership in a recognized tribe, band, or group of Indians, (2) residence on or near Indian reservations under the jurisdiction of the Department of the Interior, (3) primarily between 18 and 35 years of age, (4) the



need of such training to obtain reasonable and satisfactory employment, and (5) the feasibility and practicability of the training.

In addition to institutional training, apprenticeship or on-the-job training may be provided under the terms of this Act.

Courses of training are approved in practically every recognized trade or vocation either within the geographical areas served by the various Area Offices of the Bureau of Indian Affairs or at Field Employment Assistance Offices located in Chicago, Illinois; Cleveland, Ohio; Dallas, Texas; Denver, Colorado; Los Angeles, California; Oakland-San Francisco, California; and San Jose, California.

Financial assistance can be provided to eligible applicants for up to 24 months of training, including tuition, related costs, subsistence funds for maintenance during the period of training, etc.

Information may be obtained from the Branch of Employment Assistance at the nearest reservation headquarters.

**VOCATIONAL STUDENT LOANS.** This program makes loans available through commercial sources for students attending post-secondary business, trade, technical and other vocational schools. The Federal Government pays a portion of the interest charges on loans to students who borrow under this program.

Both full-time and part-time students enrolled or accepted for enrollment in an eligible vocational institution may borrow under this program.

For further information contact the Division of Student Financial Aid, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington, D. C. 20202.

**INDIAN SCHOOL OF PRACTICAL NURSING.** The Division of Indian Health, U.S. Public Health Service, Albuquerque, New Mexico, offers a one-year course in practical nurse training to girls who are high school graduates possessing one-fourth or more degree of Indian blood.

For additional information contact the Director, Indian School of Practical Nursing, 1015 Indian School Road, N. W., Albuquerque, New Mexico 87107.

**DENTAL ASSISTANT TRAINING PROGRAM.** In connection with the Indian Health Center at the Bureau of Indian Affairs' Intermountain School, the Division of Indian Health, U.S. Public Health Service, conducts a program of Dental Assistant Training. The 10-month course begins in August of each year. Applicants must be female, single, between the ages of 17 and 22, possess one-fourth or more degree of Indian blood, be at least 5'0" in height, be enrolled tribal members and/or residents on or near a federally supervised reservation, and have a high school diploma.

For further information write to the Chief, Dental Services, Dental Assistant Training, Intermountain PHS School Health Center, P.O. Box 602, Brigham City, Utah 84302.

**MEDICAL RECORDS TECHNICIANS.** In cooperation with the Bureau of Indian Affairs, the Division of Indian Health, U.S. Public Health Service, sponsors a two-year program for student medical record technicians at Phoenix College, Phoenix, Arizona. To qualify, an applicant must possess one-fourth or more degree of Indian blood, be a graduate of an accredited high school, be between 17 and 35 years of age, and be proficient in typing and English. Those accepted for training become student employees of the Division of Indian Health.

Contact the Education Officer at the Bureau of Indian Affairs office nearest you or write to the Education Director, Health Record Education and Training, Division of Indian Health Training Center, Post Office Box 11346, Tucson, Arizona 85700.

## STATE AIDS

Most States have laws which provide some types of scholarship aids to State residents for higher education. Some which have not enacted such legislation permit the State colleges and universities to award scholarships under certain conditions. Many State benefits in the field of higher education are provided for veterans and their families.

Indian students in need of scholarship aid are urged to learn what State financial assistance is available and to apply for this aid if they qualify for it. Information may be obtained from the State Department of Education and from the guidance officers of the public high schools.

The States which have authorized scholarship aids specifically for Indian students are:

**ALASKA.** Fifteen new State scholarships are provided each year and prior year scholarships are renewed at the University of Alaska for Alaskan Aleuts, Eskimo, and Indian students. These scholarships provide for fees and board and room with amounts based on individual needs of the students. Applications should be made to the Dean of Students, University of Alaska, College, Alaska.

**FLORIDA.** The Florida Legislature established in 1963 the Seminole Indian Scholarship Program for tribal members residing within the boundaries of the Seminole Indian Reservation in the State. There are at present eight (8) grants at \$600 per year for use in approved Florida institutions. Awards are made to applicants scoring highest on the Florida Scholarship Examination and are available to high school seniors through college seniors. Application should be made to the Director, Scholarships and Loans, State Department of Education, Tallahassee, Florida 32304.

**MINNESOTA.** The Minnesota State Legislature enacted into law on April 20, 1955, a bill to provide scholarship awards to Indian students for study in colleges and in business, technical, and vocational schools. The amounts of \$5,000 in 1956 and \$7,500 in 1957 for this purpose were included in the legislation. The amounts were increased in succeeding years, and the 1967 Legislature appropriated \$35,000 for 1968 and \$40,000 for 1969.

The scholarship grants may not exceed \$800 to any one student in a school year and may not be given for more than four years of study.

The awards are made to students who have 1/4 or more degree Indian blood, who are high school graduates, who are residents of Minnesota, who are recommended to and accepted by the scholarship committee, and who are accepted by the schools where they plan to enroll.

Application should be made by May 1 of each year. Forms and other information may be obtained from the Director of Indian Education, State Department of Education, State of Minnesota, St. Paul 1, Minnesota.

The State of Minnesota also grants tuition scholarships to Indians at the University of Minnesota, Morris.

**MONTANA.** Legislation was enacted in 1951 to permit Indian students to attend any Montana units of higher education without payment of certain fees. These fee-waivers are limited to applicants who are at least one-fourth degree American Indian blood and who are graduates of public or Federal high schools in Montana. The value of the fee-waiver is approximately \$65 per quarter. The limit on the number of these fee-waivers is 48 per year; however, the waiver can be made continuous for four academic years. Application should be made to the Supervisor of Indian Education, Department of Public Instruction, State of Montana, Helena, Montana 59601.

**NEW YORK.** The State grants \$1,000 per year to Indian students for attendance at post-secondary institutions. Conditions are as follows:

1. Maximum entitlement is four academic years
2. Students must be high school graduates
3. Students must be residents of one of New York's eight major reservations
4. Students must attend a post-secondary institution in New York State, and
5. This institution must have been approved by the Board of Regents.

Applications and information may be obtained by contacting the Chairman, Committee for Student Aid for Indian



Youth, Bureau of Elementary School Supervision, State Education Department, Albany, New York 12224.

**NORTH DAKOTA.** The State Legislature of North Dakota enacted legislation, effective July 1, 1963, and amended March 1, 1967, permitting five Indian scholarships not to exceed \$425 per quarter for three quarters, or \$630 per semester for two semesters per academic year. These scholarships are administered by the State Board for Indian Scholarships. Information and application forms can be obtained from the Director of Indian Education, Department of Public Instruction, State of North Dakota, Bismarck, North Dakota, and from principals of public schools in the State.

**SOUTH DAKOTA.** This State began its Indian scholarship program in 1949 with 30 tuition and fee scholarships to State-operated colleges and has increased steadily the number and the amounts of Indian scholarships. The 1959 State Legislature provided 75 scholarships of \$280 each. The 1965 State Legislature provided for the present 60 scholarships of \$350 each. Applicants must be of 1/4 or more degree Indian blood, residents of South Dakota and attending or planning to attend any four-year degree-granting college in South Dakota. The awards are made by an official board of examiners. Application forms and information can be obtained from the Director of Indian Education, Department of Public Instruction, Pierre, South Dakota.

**WISCONSIN.** Legislation for the Wisconsin State Indian Scholarship Grant Program was enacted in 1957. Eligibility is based on (1) possession of one-quarter degree or more Indian blood; (2) residence in Wisconsin; (3) rank in the upper two-thirds of graduating class; (4) capacity to profit from appropriate college or university work.

Grants are made on the basis of need and may not exceed \$900 in any one school year. They are renewable if the recipients do satisfactory college work. The grants must be used in colleges located in and financed by the State of Wisconsin. The scholarship program is funded by a "Sum Sufficient" appropriation. Applications should be made to the Department of Public Instruction, State of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin 53702.

## **TRIBAL AIDS GRANTS**

A most significant advance in aid for Indian higher education is the establishment by a number of tribes of scholarship grant programs financed by tribal funds. This emphasis on the need of their youth for higher education becomes more meaningful in an evaluation of the many other tribal needs and the often limited tribal resources.

Some tribes have had educational loan programs for many years, financed from their own funds or from funds borrowed from the Federal Government. A number continue the loan programs after they establish grant programs because there is often need for both. A few make provisions for absorbing all or part of the loan indebtedness of students completing their educational courses.

Tribes which have not established scholarship programs often can help needy and capable students who are unable to obtain sufficient scholarship aid elsewhere. Students needing aid should inquire of their tribal officers.

Correspondence concerning tribal aids should be addressed to the Tribal Chairman or the Chairman of the Tribal Education Committee at the tribal headquarters office.

The tribes which have established scholarship grant programs are listed below:

**ARAPAHOE TRIBE, WYOMING.** The Northern Arapahoe Tribal Scholarship Program, established in 1959, awards scholarship grants up to \$1,200 each to tribal members accepted for enrollment in colleges, universities, business schools, trade schools, and schools offering technical training. The Fiscal Year 1969 budget included \$27,000 for this purpose.

**BLACKFEET TRIBE, MONTANA.** The Blackfeet Tribal Business Council established a scholarship grant program in 1961 to enable the tribal members to receive up to \$450 a year for attendance at colleges and vocational or trade schools; \$4,000 was made available in 1968-69.

**CHEYENNE AND ARAPAHO TRIBES, OKLAHOMA.** The Cheyenne and Arapaho Scholarship Program, established in 1962, provides financial assistance for college, vocational, and trade training for enrolled tribal members. In 1968, the tribes awarded 156 grants totalling almost \$18,000.

**CHICKASAW NATION, OKLAHOMA.** Each post high school student who is a member of this tribe is awarded \$100 clothing allowance (one year only).

**COEUR d'ALENE TRIBE, IDAHO.** This tribe has established a fund for educational assistance to tribal members. The fund provides some help for students in schools above the high school level. The amount of \$2,500 was available for scholarship grants in 1968-69. Beginning with Fiscal Year 69-70, the income from an investment fund of \$150,000 will be available for scholarships.

**COLORADO RIVER TRIBES, ARIZONA.** (Also California and Nevada) This group began its scholarship grant program in 1956 to assist its eligible members in attending college. The tribes provided \$21,000 for scholarships in 1968-69.

**CONFEDERATED TRIBES, COLVILLE RESERVATION, WASHINGTON.** This tribal group has made yearly provisions in its grant program for eight 4-year college scholarships of \$2,600 each to be available at the rate of \$600 for the first 3 years and \$800 for the fourth year; and ten 2-year college academic scholarships of \$1,500 each to be available at the rate of \$800 for the first year and \$700 for the second. The grants are awarded annually. Other grants are made from the tribe's Educational Aid Fund as emergencies arise. The program, which was established in 1955, had \$52,800 for use for scholarships in 1968-69.

**THE CONFEDERATED SALISH AND KOOTENAI TRIBES OF THE FLATHEAD RESERVATION, DIXON, MONTANA.** A token scholarship of \$20 is made to the tribal member who graduates highest in his class in each of the seven high schools on the reservation. Careful consideration is being given to establishing a more helpful scholarship program. A Tribal Credit enterprise makes loans to students who are unable to qualify for



Federal grants through the Bureau of Indian Affairs or obtain assistance elsewhere.

**CROW TRIBE, MONTANA.** The tribal council approved the establishment of the Crow Tribal Scholarship Program in 1956 and has since revised the program. Grants are made in accordance with individual needs and are generally not in excess of \$900 each per year. The grants may be used in colleges, universities, business schools, and in vocational and technical schools. In addition to the annual \$22,000 provided in the tribal budget for this purpose, the income from a \$200,000 special fund is used to finance the program.

**GILA RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA INDIAN COMMUNITY, ARIZONA.** This tribal group provides a fund for assistance of its students who need small amounts to supplement other scholarship aids. The amount of \$5,400 was used for scholarship aid in 1968-69.

**HOOPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA.** This tribe offers to its members four scholarships @ \$400 per year for a total of \$1,600, which continue to recipients the following years if they maintain a 2.0 grade average. The tribe also offers two @ \$200 grants to continue for four years if grade average is 2.0.

**HUALAPAI TRIBE, ARIZONA.** The Hualapai Scholarship Fund, established in 1956, provides grants for college attendance on the basis of need, ability, and tribal membership. The tribal budget of 1968-69 included \$5,000 for this use.

**JICARILLA APACHE TRIBE, NEW MEXICO.** A trust fund of \$1,000,000 was established in 1956 with the provision that the income be used for scholarship grants to tribal members. The fund has been named "The Chester E. Faris Education Fund" in honor of a former superintendent of the Jicarilla Agency and a long-time Bureau official. The scholarships are for college and vocational use and may be made in amounts to cover all school expenses of the students to whom they are granted.

**JUNEAU ALASKA NATIVE BROTHERHOOD, ALASKA.** Students who are at least one-fourth Alaska Native blood and who have a grant or scholarship from the Bureau of Indian Affairs or some other organization are provided funds to cover

travel and subsistence enroute to college and, in some cases, supplemental grants up to \$250 per annum, provided the need is established to the satisfaction of the scholarship committee. The Brotherhood also administers the Andrew Hope Memorial Scholarship Award to an Alaska Native student who graduated from a high school in Southeast Alaska and is enrolled in an institution of higher learning.

**LAGUNA PUEBLO, NEW MEXICO.** The Council of the Pueblo of Laguna authorized the establishment of the scholarship grant fund in 1961 and revised the scholarship ordinance in 1968. Scholarships are provided for both college and vocational training and are limited generally to \$1,000 a year for each student whose application receives favorable action, plus \$125 for transportation if it is needed and no other source of funds is available. The amount of \$50,000 is provided annually for these scholarships.

**LOWER BRULE SIOUX TRIBE, SOUTH DAKOTA.** The Lower Brule Sioux Education Grant Program was established in 1956 to provide assistance to college students in amounts not to exceed \$1,000 for each student per year and is restricted to the amount required according to an itemized budget prepared by the student, based on tuition fees and expenses. The program also makes provision for small amounts to help high school students with their expenses.

**MINNESOTA CHIPPEWA TRIBE, MINNESOTA.** Scholarship grants up to \$150 each, for students above the high school level, are provided by this tribal organization. \$8,000 was established for scholarship use in 1968-69.

**NAVAJO TRIBE, ARIZONA.** The Navajo Tribe began its scholarship grant program with an appropriation of \$30,000 in 1954. The amount was increased to \$65,000 in 1955 and to \$100,000 in 1956. In 1957, a \$5,000,000 scholarship fund was established with provisions that the income from this amount would be used for scholarship grants. The fund was increased to \$10,000,000 in 1959. The scholarships are awarded for college undergraduate and graduate work and for vocational and technical training. Individual awards are made in amounts up to \$2,000 a year, with provision for larger sums under unusual circumstances.

**NEZ PERCE TRIBE, IDAHO.** The Tribal Executive Committee established the Nez Perce Tribal Scholarship Fund in 1959 for the purpose of assisting needy tribal members residing on the reservation to obtain education beyond the high school level. Grants are limited to \$800 for each student per year.

The Nez Perce Tribal Executive Committee also administers the ISAAC BRONCHEAU MEMORIAL FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM. This fund was created by the will of Isaac Maynard Broncheau, a Nez Perce veteran, to aid tribal members in higher education. The income from the fund is used for scholarship grants of not more than \$500 each per year.

**NORTHERN CHEYENNE TRIBE, MONTANA.** In 1967 the tribal council set up a Scholarship Fund of \$250,000, the interest earnings of which are to be used for the benefit of Northern Cheyenne students enrolled in college undergraduate and graduate work, or in vocational training.

**OMAHA TRIBE, NEBRASKA.** The tribal grant program, adopted in 1963, provides \$225 annually for Omaha college and vocational school students according to ability and need. The program also provides up to \$500 in unusual cases where the student has no other source of assistance and can justify attendance at a more expensive college.

**POJOAQUE PUEBLO, NEW MEXICO.** The tribal group administers a scholarship fund for grants to its high school graduates who have been accepted for college enrollment.

**PYRAMID LAKE PAIUTE, NEVADA.** This tribal group has a scholarship program for its members to assist them in education beyond the high school level.

**QUINULT TRIBE, TAHOLAH, WASHINGTON 98587.** The Quinault Tribe sets aside \$1,000 per year to help tribal members meet college expenses.

**SHOSHONE TRIBE, WYOMING.** The Shoshone Tribal Council established the tribal grant program in 1958 to enable students to attend colleges and universities, and business and trade schools. Grant amounts are limited to \$750 per student

annually unless unusual circumstances justify higher amounts. The Fiscal Year 1969 tribal budget included \$27,600 for grants.

**SHOSHONE-BANNOCK TRIBES, IDAHO.** The Fort Hall Business Council annually makes available to its young members an amount for scholarship assistance grant funds, and works with nearby community and service organizations to develop other funds. In Fiscal Year 1969, the Shoshone-Bannock Tribes budgeted about \$13,500 for higher education.

**SOUTHERN UTE TRIBE, COLORADO.** This tribe adopted a scholarship grant program in 1951. An annual limit of \$500 per student established at that time has since been changed to meet the needs of the individual student. (Not to exceed \$1,200 for 9 months period). Grants are made for college education and vocational training. The amount of \$14,500 per year was available in 1968 for these grants.

**SPOKANE TRIBE, WASHINGTON.** The Spokane Tribal Council provides an annual amount of \$7,000 for use in making scholarship grants to students in college and vocational schools. This amount may be increased in the future.

**STANDING ROCK SIOUX TRIBE, NORTH AND SOUTH DAKOTA.** The loan-grant program, adopted by the Standing Rock Sioux Tribal Council in 1961, provides that students may borrow \$1,800 each year up to a total of \$7,200 and that \$100 per quarter or \$150 per semester will be written off at the end of each term completed successfully, a total of \$1,200 over a 4-year period. Upon completion of a 4-year college course, an additional \$1,200 is written off, leaving the student with an indebtedness of \$4,800 to be paid within a stated period. Other arrangements are made for students attending schools operating on other than the quarter or semester basis.

**TULALIP TRIBES, WASHINGTON.** A scholarship grant of not more than \$600 a year is awarded to tribal applicants on the basis of their scholastic records, predicted chances of success, personal stability, sincere interest in higher education, and financial need.

**TYONEK TRIBE, ANCHORAGE, ALASKA.** The Nickafor Alexan Scholarship Fund provides total assistance to enrolled



Tyonek members who enter college or vocational training. The program provides for travel, subsistence, books, tuition, and incidentals. It is permissible within the program to have full family maintenance while in attendance at an approved school. The program is administered by a Scholarship Committee. Applications must be submitted prior to attendance at school and acceptance in an accredited school is required in order to qualify for the scholarship program.

**UTE INDIAN TRIBE, UTAH.** Scholarship grants are provided for members of the Ute Indian Tribe in colleges and vocational schools. The annual grant budget is \$12,000.

**UTE MOUNTAIN UTE TRIBE, COLORADO.** The Tribal council makes funds available for ample scholarship grants to any tribal members wishing to enroll in schools above the high school level.

**WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE, Whiteriver, Arizona.** In 1956 the White Mountain Apache Tribal Council started a program of scholarship aid for tribal members who are interested in continuing their education beyond high school. Grants are extended for one school semester at a time. Students can apply by writing to the Education Coordinator, P.O. Box 708, Whiteriver, Arizona 85941.

**YAKIMA TRIBE, WASHINGTON.** The Yakima Nation Tribal Scholarship Program was adopted in 1954. For those enrolled Yakima students of one-fourth degree or more of Yakima Indian Blood, this scholarship program provides \$700 for the first school year and \$600 for the three remaining years in a four-year college program. The Yakima Tribe is currently making available \$50,000 for this program in Fiscal Year 1969.

## **TRIBAL AIDS LOANS**

As of January 31, 1969, the following tribal groups reported that they have credit programs permitting the making of loans for education:

### **ABERDEEN AREA**

Oglala Sioux Tribe  
Omaha Tribe  
Rosebud Sioux Tribe  
Standing Rock Sioux Tribe

### **ANADARKO AREA**

Cheyenne-Arapaho Tribe

### **ALBUQUERQUE AREA**

Southern Ute Tribe

### **BILLINGS AREA**

Arapahoe Tribe (Wind River)  
Assiniboine and Sioux Tribes  
of the Fort Peck Reservation  
Blackfeet Tribe  
Crow Tribe  
Fort Belknap Indian Community  
Northern Cheyenne Tribe  
Confederated Salish and Kootenai  
Tribes of the Flathead Reservation  
Shoshone Tribe (Wind River)

### **JUNEAU AREA**

Alaska Native Brotherhood  
Tyonek Tribe

### **MINNEAPOLIS AREA**

None

## MUSKOGEE AREA

Adair County Indian  
Credit Association  
Mississippi Band of Choctaw  
Indians  
Muskogee County Indian  
Credit Association  
Seminole County Indian  
Credit Association  
United Keetoowah Council

## NAVAJO AREA

Navajo Tribe

## PHOENIX AREA

Colorado River Tribes  
Hopi Indian Credit Association  
Ute Indian Tribe, Utah

## PORTLAND AREA

Confederated Tribes of the  
Colville Reservation  
Coeur d'Alene Tribe  
Nez Perce Tribe  
Shoshone-Bannock Tribes - Ft. Hall  
Confederated Tribes of the  
Umatilla Indian Reservation  
Confederated Tribes of the  
Warm Springs Indian Reservation  
Tulalip Tribe  
Yakima Tribe

## SEMINOLE AGENCY

Seminole Tribe of Florida



## **SCHOLARSHIPS COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES, AND NURSING SCHOOLS**

A number of scholarships are established specifically for American Indian students in institutions of higher learning. In addition many schools are greatly interested in having Indian representation in their student enrollment and often will make special arrangements for scholarship assistance when eligible applicants identify themselves as Indians and state their needs for financial assistance.

All schools of higher learning have some types of aid for students who need financial assistance. These aids are listed in the schools' annual catalogues or bulletins or in special supplements which are sent upon request. Indian students are urged to learn of these and to make application for those applicable to their abilities and needs.

The schools having scholarships established especially for Indian students are:

**ALASKA METHODIST UNIVERSITY, Anchorage, Alaska.** Offers scholarships on the basis of need and academic achievement. Special grants for Aleuts, Indians, and Eskimos are:

Earl R. Brown Memorial. A special trust fund for aid to students who are Aleut, Indian, or Eskimo, established by the family and friends of the late Dr. Earl R. Brown, early planner and promoter of the University.

Fair Foundation. A fund established by the Fair Foundation of Tyler, Texas, for Eskimo, Aleut, and Indian students, primarily.

Kathleen Knox Jordan Memorial. A fund for assistance to an Indian or Eskimo made available by Mrs. M. Frank Thompson.

Hennepin Avenue Methodist Church, Minneapolis, Minnesota. A tuition scholarship to enable a qualified Eskimo, Indian or Aleut to attend Alaska Methodist University.

Ideas Eternal Scholarship to be used for an Eskimo girl. Given by the Ideas Eternal Foundation of Texas.

Application forms may be obtained from the Office of the Dean; completed applications from new students must be received each year not later than April 15.

**ANTIOCH COLLEGE, Yellow Springs, Ohio 45387.** Antioch does not have any scholarships that are specifically earmarked for American Indians, but it is genuinely interested in assisting qualified applicants from minority group backgrounds. Financial aid is usually available in the form of tuition reductions, scholarships, loans, and part-time campus employment. Tuition \$2,500, room and board \$628, total cost for one year approximately \$3,800. College Board examinations required. Applicant should rank in the top third of his graduating class with a college preparatory program. Apply to the Office of Admissions, Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio 45387.

**ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY, Tempe, Arizona.** Two 4-year scholarships are awarded annually to incoming Arizona reservation Indian students who need assistance and who have demonstrated ability in scholarship and leadership. The scholarships cover registration, tuition, and class fees and are renewable throughout a 4-year period if the recipients keep their grades up to the required standard. Applications should be made no later than March of each year to the Chairman of the Scholarship Committee.

The University also provides special advisory service for Indian students.

**BACONE COLLEGE, Bacone, Oklahoma.** Bacone is a private, church related Liberal Arts Junior College that is fully integrated, with a specific program designed for American Indian students. Bacone is fully accredited by the North Central Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges. Bacone has financial assistance available for eligible and needy students. Inquiry concerning admission, costs, and scholarship assistance should be made of the Registrar, Bacone College, Bacone, Oklahoma 74420.

**BEREA COLLEGE, Berea, Kentucky.** Any student who can qualify for admission can also qualify for sufficient financial assistance provided he maintains a satisfactory record and provided he will do all he can to help himself. This is a private,

small college. Apply: Wilson Evans, Director, Financial Assistance Program, Box 2289, Berea Kentucky 40403.

**BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY, Provo, Utah.** Fifty scholarships covering annual tuition and fees are made available to Indian students by this school, which is operated by the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter-Day Saints. The school assists these students in locating employment to earn room, board, and other expenses. It also has a team of teachers and administrators whose specific assignment is to help the Indian succeed. The Indian Education Adviser provides special orientation, counseling, and registration services for the Indian students.

Application forms for admission to the school and for scholarship aid may be obtained from the Indian Education Adviser, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah.

**CORNELL UNIVERSITY, Ithaca, New York 14850.** Two scholarships are available at Cornell University for members of the Indian tribes of New York State:

The Annie M. Hatch Indian Scholarship is a cash award of \$400 and is given preferably to those who intend to enter the College of Agriculture. The amount may be received each year the student remains in school. Application should be made to the Chairman of the Cornell Indian Board at a reservation or to the Committee on Student Aid at the University.

The Olive Whitman Memorial Scholarship Fund, made possible through the Daughters of the American Revolution, awards scholarships to Indian young women who are studying or planning to study in the School of Home Economics. The scholarships may be renewed through the course. Application should be made to Mrs. Benjamin A. Tracy, 307 South Manlius Street, Fayetteville, New York.

**DICKINSON COLLEGE, Carlisle, Pennsylvania 17013.** Accepts for admission Indian students of high academic ability and provides financial assistance to students from low-income families. All inquiries relative to admission and scholarship assistance should be sent to Mr. Charles L. Twichelle, Assistant

Dean of Admissions, Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania 17013.

**FAIRLEIGH-DICKINSON UNIVERSITY**, Rutherford, New Jersey 07070. The Rutherford, New Jersey, campus of this privately operated school, which also has units at Teaneck and Madison, New Jersey, offers a 4-year tuition scholarship valued at \$5,000 to an American Indian student for a full time study program in elementary or secondary education.

The school estimates that typical expenses for one year will amount to \$2,650 (tuition and fees \$1,450; room and board \$1,200 per year) exclusive of transportation between the student's home and the school. Assistance is given the student in locating part-time work and a loan arrangement can be worked out for the remaining costs.

Application forms for admission to the school, information concerning the scholarship, and a copy of the school's catalogue may be obtained from the Dean of Admissions, Fairleigh-Dickinson University, 207 Montrose Avenue, Rutherford, New Jersey.

**FORT LEWIS COLLEGE**, Durango, Colorado. This is a senior, liberal arts, coeducational college. It offers the B.A. and B.S. degrees as well as the A.A. degree.

The college has an enrollment of 1,723 (fall 1968). American Indian students may attend the college tuition free. Additional information on financial aid may be obtained from the Financial Aids Office. Information about curriculum, costs, etc., is available from the Office of Information and Services, Fort Lewis College, Durango, Colorado 81301.

**FORT SCOTT JUNIOR COLLEGE**, Fort Scott, Kansas 66701. Accepts applications for scholarships from Indian students living outside the county. Application should be made to the Scholarship Committee, Junior College, Fort Scott, Kansas. Athletic scholarships are also offered, and applications should be made directly to Fort Scott Junior College, Fort Scott, Kansas 66701.



**FRANKLIN AND MARSHALL COLLEGE**, Lancaster, Pennsylvania 17604. This college for men is considering coeducational status in 1969. The following scholarship fund has been established to benefit students of American Indian ancestry:

Harold I. Eaton, Jr., and Alice B. Eaton Scholarship Fund. Preference in awarding this scholarship will be given to qualified American Indian students. Inquiries should be addressed to the Office of Public Relations, Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, Pennsylvania 17604.

**FRIENDS UNIVERSITY**, Wichita, Kansas 67213. One scholarship of \$500 a year is established here for the use of an Indian student. Work opportunities are made available to students who must have assistance to meet other school expenses. The university, which is under the control of the Kansas Yearly Meeting of Friends (Quakers), has an enrollment of about 950 students.

Information concerning the Indian scholarship and the school's program should be requested of the Financial Aid Officer, Friends University, Wichita, Kansas 67213.

**GRAND CANYON COLLEGE**, Phoenix, Arizona. A loan fund established by Mr. Leo Berndt enables Indian students enrolled at the school, which is operated by the Baptist General Convention of Arizona, to borrow up to \$200 a year. While the fund was established to give preference to Navajo applicants, applications from members of other tribes receive full consideration. In addition, the Scholarships Committee at the college has approved a scholarship, available to all Indians admitted, amounting to 25 percent of the tuition cost. Further information can be obtained from the Director of Admissions and Financial Aid at P.O. Box 11097, Phoenix, Arizona 85017.

**GRINNELL COLLEGE**, Grinnell, Iowa. This college, which is privately controlled, makes available annually to one or two Indian students accepted for enrollment a partial tuition grant. Further information may be obtained from the Director of Admissions, Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa 50112.

**GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS COLLEGE**, St. Peter, Minnesota 56082. This college is interested in funding as many minority group students as make application and are admissable through

its Admissions Office. The Parents' Confidential Statement of the College Scholarship Service, the only application form required for financial assistance, should be filed early in the senior year of high school, preferably at the same time that application is made for admission to the college. Reasonable expectations are made from family income and assets, and financial assistance awarded by the college is regarded as supplementary to the effort made by a family to meet college costs. For further information, write to the Office of Admissions, Gustavus Adolphus College, St. Peter, Minnesota 56082.

**HAMPTON INSTITUTE, Hampton Virginia.** From interest on endowment funds contributed for the education of American Indian students, this privately controlled school makes available each year four scholarships. The scholarships may be used only at Hampton Institute and are awarded on the bases of high scholastic standing, financial need, satisfactory recommendations, and general promise. They are renewable as long as the recipients maintain satisfactory standards. Inquiries concerning the scholarships and requests for other information should be sent to the Registrar, Hampton Institute, Hampton, Virginia 23368.

**HARTWICK COLLEGE, Oneonta, New York 13820.** Scholarships range from \$100 up to full tuition per year. The exact amount of the scholarship will depend on each candidate's financial need. A candidate is eligible to receive these funds over a four-year period providing that he maintains satisfactory academic progress. For further information, contact the Director of Financial Aid, Hartwick College, Oneonta, New York 13820.

**HARVARD UNIVERSITY, Cambridge, Massachusetts.** This university offers the Samuel Sewall Scholarship to an Indian student who is able to meet Harvard University's admission requirements and is able to hold a relatively high position on Harvard's rank list after admission. Apply to the Director of Scholarships, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138.

**HURON COLLEGE, Huron, South Dakota 57350.** Two Indian Scholarship funds are established at this coeducational college,

which is privately operated and affiliated with the Presbyterian Church.

The JOHN P. WILLIAMSON INDIAN SCHOLARSHIP was established in 1920 by the widow of Rev. Williamson, a pioneer missionary among the Sioux.

The MRS. JOHN N. STEEL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP was established in 1920 by the Rev. John N. Steele to honor his wife, a former trustee of the college.

The income from both funds is used for scholarship aid in amounts of approximately \$100 per year per eligible student at Huron College. Applications should be made to the Director of Admissions of the school.

**MACALESTER COLLEGE, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101.** This college has one private foundation scholarship of \$2,400 for outstanding Indian students from the States within the Aberdeen and Minneapolis Area Office jurisdictions. Write to Macalester College, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101.

**MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, Cambridge, Massachusetts.** This highly selective technical college has undertaken a program called Project Epsilon which encourages minority group students to apply, provides a summer program for those accepted for admission to the Freshman Class, and follows the student through his freshman year with a program of tutoring-faculty counseling. The Institute will subsidize the student's costs that remain after other sources of assistance have been considered. Information can be obtained from the Director of Admissions, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02139.

**MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE, Middlebury, Vermont 05753.** This college actively seeks to enroll qualified American Indians. Substantial scholarship awards are available to needy Indian students to enable them to study at this college. An individual scholarship award may be in excess of \$3,000 to qualified Indian students. Costs include tuition \$2,100; room and board \$1,100; books, fees, and incidental expenses \$700. The scholarships and loans are intended to off-set these high expenses. Total enrollment is 1,550. Admission is selective, but each application will be reviewed on its own merit. SAT is



normally required. Application deadline is January 15. Apply to Director of Admission, Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vermont 05753.

**OCCIDENTAL COLLEGE, Los Angeles, California 90041.** This is a private college of 1,800 students which offers scholarship aid to any student who is accepted at the college. The amount of financial aid is based on the need expressed in the Parents' Confidential Statement. Special scholarships are available for American Indians. Tuition is \$1,850; room and board \$1,100; books and supplies \$150. SAT test required as well as a B average in high school. Apply by March 1 for Fall admittance, by May for the summer term to the Office of Admission, Occidental College, Los Angeles, California 90041.

**OKLAHOMA CITY UNIVERSITY, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.** The McKinley Billy Fund is established for Chickasaw-Choctaw students at Oklahoma City University. Requests for further information should be addressed to the Division of Admissions, Financial Aid, Registration, Oklahoma City University, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73106.

**PENNSYLVANIA HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107.** Several 3-year nursing scholarships are awarded annually to Indian boys and girls at this school through the Mae T. Pease Fund and the National Society of Colonial Dames of America. The scholarships cover all school expenses and give students \$5 monthly for personal expenses and \$35 annually for vacation purposes.

Further information on the school and the scholarships may be obtained from the Director, School of Nursing, Pennsylvania Hospital, 8th and Spruce Streets, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107.

**ROCKY MOUNTAIN COLLEGE, Billings, Montana 59102.** Several special scholarships for students of Indian ancestry are awarded each year. In addition, these students are eligible to apply for all types of financial aid provided by the college for its students. For information on admission or financial aid, write: Admissions Office, Rocky Mountain College, Billings, Montana 59102.

**ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY, Chicago, Illinois. A \$2,000**

renewable scholarship made possible by the Edward A. Filene Good Will Fund, Inc., is available to any American Indian who is interested in a career in business administration. All inquiries may be directed to the Director of Student Aid, Roosevelt University, 430 South Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60605.

**ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING, Tulsa, Oklahoma.** Financial assistance is available for qualified women or men applicants through Federal loan funds, women's service organizations, and hospitals. Application forms and additional information may be obtained by writing to the Director, St. John's Hospital School of Nursing, 1802 East 19th Street, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74104.

**SARAH LAWRENCE COLLEGE, Bronxville, New York 10708.** Enrollment 550 women, tuition \$2,600, room and board \$1,350, books and supplies \$125. Scholarships, loans, and employment available. SAT required. The Admissions Committee seeks evidence of seriousness of purpose, intellectual curiosity, the ability to do college work of high calibre and strong motivation for college. This private college has four-year scholarships available for American Indian girls. Apply to above address.

**SHELDON JACKSON COLLEGE, Sitka, Alaska 99835.** The college is owned and operated by the Board of National Missions of the United Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A. Scholarships and financial aid assistance is available. The college has a high enrollment of Alaskan students in attendance. Requests for application for enrollment and scholarship information should be sent to the Dean, Sheldon Jackson College, Sitka, Alaska 99835.

**UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA, Tucson, Arizona.** The following scholarships for Indian students are established here:

**University General Indian Scholarships,** covering registration and laboratory fees, are awarded annually to sixteen qualified students from Indian tribes of Arizona. The scholarships, which may be renewed each year, are made on the basis of scholastic ability, character, leadership, service, and need.

**Benjamin and Bio De Casseres Scholarship** for worthy and needy American Indian students is based on income from a bequest and the amount varies.

**National Society of Colonial Dames Scholarship** in the amount of \$50 per year was established for American Indian students in Nursing.

Applicants should write to the Office of Scholarships and Awards, University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona 85721.

**UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, MORRIS, Morris, Minnesota.** Free tuition is provided Indian students under terms of the original land grant. Applicants must be of 1/4 or more degree Indian blood and are not required to be residents of Minnesota. Application forms for admission to the school and for scholarship aid may be obtained from the Director of Student Services, Morris, The University of Minnesota, Morris, Minnesota 56267.

**UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO, Albuquerque, New Mexico.** The Kiva Club Scholarships. A few tuition awards are made to Indian students each year by the University of New Mexico Kiva Club. Applications for scholarships must be made to the Student Aids Office, Scholarship Division, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87106.

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA, Norman, Oklahoma.** The Logan family, which has a notable record of educational work with the Indian people of Oklahoma, provides scholarships which consist of sizable reductions in the rental rates of apartments in a building located near the university. Priority for rental reduction on one apartment is given to a student of Cherokee descent. Applications should be made to the Logan Scholarship Committee of the University.

The University of Oklahoma annually awards an undergraduate Sequoyah scholarship and a graduate Sequoyah scholarship.

Requirements are that the recipients be at least one-fourth Indian, be enrolled as a full-time student, and qualify for financial assistance.

Students interested in applying may contact the Office of Financial Aids, 650 Parrington Oval, Room 302D, the University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma 73069.

**WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY, St. Louis, Missouri.** Washington University offers no scholarships earmarked exclusively for American Indian applicants, but it is prepared to offer substantial assistance to applicants who are accepted for admission, to the extent of their financial need. Further information about Washington University may be gained by writing to the Director of Admissions, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri 63130.

**WESTERN COLLEGE FOR WOMEN, Oxford, Ohio.** Although no special fund for Indians is established at this privately operated school, an Indian applicant accepted for enrollment will receive substantial scholarship aid. Inquiries should be sent to the Director of Admissions, Western College, Oxford, Ohio 45056.

### **SCHOLARSHIPS CHURCHES, FOUNDATIONS, And OTHER ORGANIZATIONS**

Among the many church, civic, patriotic, professional, service, and other organizations which provide scholarship assistance there are some which make these aids available only to Indians and other groups. These are listed below.

Some local churches and civic organizations provide scholarship help to Indian students residing in the community. While these organizations often do not have formal scholarship programs as such, they are usually very responsive when needs of individual students are called to their attention.

**THE ARIZONA MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, INC.,** Scottsdale, Arizona 85251. The Arizona Medical Association, Inc., has a medical student scholarship program which is administered and processed through the Benevolent and Loan Fund Committee of this Association. This program is available to Arizona residents who are United States citizens and graduates of a university or college, who are qualified, accepted and entering (first year) a Class "A" medical school approved by the Council on Medical Education of the American Medical Association and the Association of American Medical Colleges. Applications for this scholarship are available upon request from the Arizona Medical Association.



The Arizona Medical Association has combined its medical student loan program with that of the American Medical Association Education and Research Foundation. The Valley National Bank of Phoenix, financial institution for the initial Arizona program, has agreed to continue in its financing capacity as a partner in the newly combined AMA-ERF-ArMA program. Applications for this program are also available upon request from the Arizona Medical Association, Suite 201, 4601 North Scottsdale Road, Scottsdale, Arizona 85251.

**ARROW, INC.** This non-profit organization, with both Indian and non-Indian membership, assists Indian students by means of scholarship grants made possible by its own fund-raising activities and by contributions from other sources. Applications should be made to Arrow, Inc., 1346 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C. 20036.

**CHEROKEE HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION, INC.** The Association which sponsors the Cherokee drama, "Unto These Hills," the Oconaluftee Indian Village, and the Museum of the Cherokee Indian at Cherokee, North Carolina, makes educational loans available to members of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians who live on the reservation. Applications should be made to the Scholarship Committee, Cherokee Historical Foundation, Inc., Cherokee, North Carolina.

**CIRCUS SAINTS AND SINNERS.** The Pompano Beach, St. Petersburg, and Miami, Florida, Tents of this organization of business men established a scholarship foundation in 1961 to provide scholarship aid for Seminole Indian students of the State of Florida. Information may be obtained from the Superintendent, Seminole Agency, 6075 Stirling Road, Hollywood, Florida.

**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.** The National Society makes funds available to St. Mary's School for Indian Girls at Springfield, South Dakota and to Bacone College, Bacone, Oklahoma, as part of the educational work of the Society. They also make other awards to individual students needing assistance for higher education, as well as nursing scholarships for Indian girls. A number of local and State Chapters provide scholarships for local Indian students. Application should be made to the local or State Chapters or to

the National Chairman, American Indians Committee, Daughters of the American Revolution, 1776 D Street, N.W., Washington, D. C. 20006.

**MAX C. FLEISCHMANN FOUNDATION NEVADA INDIAN SCHOLARSHIPS - 1969.** This scholarship program is formulated and financed on a year-to-year basis by the Fleischmann Trustees and information is available only on the 1969 program at this time. Approximately 12 one-year scholarships for college study are available for Nevada high school Indian seniors graduating in the spring of 1969. Each scholarship will provide the recipient with \$1,000 for the 1969-70 school year. This grant will be divided equally between two semesters or among the three quarters according to the method of operation of the college or university. Students will be selected by the Nevada State Department of Education Scholarship Committee. Applications must be submitted to the Scholarship Committee, Max C. Fleischmann Foundation, Carson City, Nevada 89701.

**GAYLORD FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS.** Three scholarships of \$500 each are awarded annually to Indian students of Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma. They may be used for undergraduate work, graduate work, or equivalent vocational training in schools of the students' choices. Preference is given those applicants who plan to work among Indian people upon completion of their school work. The grants are renewable and are made possible by Mr. E.K. Gaylord, newspaper publisher of Oklahoma City. Application blanks may be obtained from Mrs. Ruth M. Bronson, 2261 East LaMadero Drive, Tucson, Arizona.

**GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS.** The national organization does not have an Indian scholarship program. They are available, however, through local or district clubs and through the State Federations. Many States have very active programs for Indian students.

Requests for assistance should be made of local, district or State units if applicants know these addresses; if not, letters of application should be sent to the headquarters of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, 1734 N Street, N. W., Washington D. C. 20036, and such requests will be forwarded to the State president of the State from which the applicant comes.

**GRANT FOREMAN CENTENNIAL AWARD FUND.** The fund which was established in 1949 in honor of Dr. Grant Foreman, a distinguished historian of Oklahoma, makes awards to students who are members of the Five Civilized Tribes of Oklahoma. Further information can be obtained from the Executive Secretary, Inter-Tribal Council of the Five Civilized Tribes, P. O. Box 1199, Muskogee, Oklahoma 74401.

**HAMER EDUCATION LOAN FUND.** Initial loans of any amount up to, but not exceeding, \$400 are made to Arizona residents attending an accredited school in Arizona and pursuing courses of study in any of the allied health career fields. The fund is financed and administered by the Auxiliary to the Arizona Medical Association. Further information can be obtained by writing to the present chairman, Mrs. A. L. Swenson, 5250 Bartlett Circle, Phoenix, Arizona 85016.

**HELEN GOUGH SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION.** The Will of Helen Gough provides grant assistance to enrolled members of the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation, North Dakota, to attend schools of higher learning in North Dakota and out of State. Selection of recipients is made by the Helen Gough Scholarship Foundation Committee on the basis of high moral character, capability as a student, a genuine ambition to acquire an education, and financial need. Further information can be obtained by writing Helen C. Lynne, Chairman, Superintendent of Schools, McLean County, Washburn, North Dakota 58577.

**INDIAN HEALTH SCHOLARSHIP FUND, INC.** Employees of the Public Health Service Indian Health Area Office at Aberdeen, South Dakota, established this fund in 1958. Scholarship aid is given to Indian students for educational courses with the health fields given preference. Other fields are now considered. Information and application forms may be obtained from the Indian Health Scholarship Fund, 422½ South Main Street, Aberdeen, South Dakota 57401.

**INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF THE KING'S DAUGHTERS AND SONS.** Offers scholarship assistance to American Indian students in varying amounts on the basis of scholastic standing, demonstrated leadership ability, community service, character, and need. Some State and County units also provide

scholarships. Apply to the International Order of the King's Daughters and Sons, North American Indian Department, Room 243, 475 Riverside Drive, New York, New York 10027.

**JOHN HAY WHITNEY FOUNDATION.** The Opportunity Fellowships, awarded annually by the John Hay Whitney Foundation, are made to applicants who have lacked full opportunity to develop their talents because of arbitrary barriers such as racial or cultural background or region of residence.

The Foundation has made a number of awards for graduate study to American Indians. Applicants must be between the ages of 22 and 35 and must have completed their undergraduate college work. Awards are made for study in the humanities, the natural or social sciences, or in the professions. In a few instances, apprenticeship-type awards are made to community leaders who will be able to profit from a year of specialized study. Projects in vocational training will not be considered.

Applications must be filed by November 30; announcements of awards will be made in April. Information and application forms may be obtained from Opportunity Fellowships, John Hay Whitney Foundation, 111 West 50th Street, New York 20, New York.

**LOUIE LE FLORE SCHOLARSHIP FUND, INC.** Makes funds available to needy Indian girl descendants of the Five Civilized Tribes of Indians in Oklahoma, for secondary education purposes and college training in such fields as nurses training, secretarial, teaching, homemaking, etc. Apply to the Chairman, Board of Trustees, Louie Le Flore Scholarship Fund, Inc., c/o Muskogee Area Office, BIA, Muskogee, Oklahoma 74401.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA EDUCATION FUND.** Makes grants to Lutheran Indian students who are recommended by Lutheran pastors or are attending Lutheran Church in America colleges. Amount limited to \$2,000 over a four-year period, for use in an accredited institution. Applications should be made to the LCA Education Fund, 231 Madison Avenue, New York, New York 10016.

**MAPLE CREEK WILLIE INDIAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND.** Maple Creek Willie of the Mad River Indian Band of California



left his property to the Federal Government at his death in 1937. The amount received from the sale of the property plus accrued interest was placed, in 1961, with the Director of Education, State of California, for use as a scholarship grant fund.

The grants, which may not exceed \$1,000 per recipient each year, are made to enrolled members of California tribes or to their descendants possessing not less than 1/4 degree of Indian blood, and who are high school graduates, have ability, good character, and need for financial assistance. The grants may be used in junior colleges, four-year colleges and universities, and in public or private vocational schools in California.

Application forms may be obtained from the Scholarship Selection Board, Maple Creek Willie Indian Scholarship Fund, c/o Director of Education, State of California, Sacramento, California.

**MINNESOTA INDIAN SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE.** This Committee, comprised of interested citizens of Minnesota, State of Minnesota educational personnel, and Bureau of Indian Affairs educational personnel, coordinates the activities of State, Federal, educational, tribal and private organizations directed toward improving educational opportunities for Minnesota Indian youth.

Through the promotion of specialized counseling services and through the recruitment and coordination of financial aid resources, the Committee has been very successful in encouraging and assisting Indians to obtain post-secondary education.

Inquiries should be directed to: Minnesota Indian Scholarship Committee, c/o Guidance Consultant, Indian Education, Minnesota Building, 410 Minnesota Avenue, Bemidji, Minnesota 56601.

**PHELPS DODGE FOUNDATION.** This foundation supports 26 annual cash scholarship awards of \$500 or \$1,000 each, for undergraduate students attending the University of Arizona, Arizona State University (Tempe), Northern Arizona University (Flagstaff) and the University of Texas at El Paso. Four \$1,200 graduate study scholarships are also awarded annually, two each at the University of Arizona and Arizona State University. The



Foundation's scholarships are awarded by the scholarship committees of the respective universities. Apply directly to the university.

**RICHARD GRAND FOUNDATION.** The Richard Grand Foundation was established for the purpose of aiding Arizona students in pursuing studies in the field of law. Any student from Arizona who wishes to attend law school and who meets the scholastic and financial requirements of the foundation may apply to the following address: The Richard Grand Foundation, Trans-America Building, Room 800, 177 North Church, Tucson, Arizona 85701.

**SOUTHWEST ALL-INDIAN BASKETBALL TOURNEY COMMITTEE.** The annual proceeds of the Southwest All-Indian Basketball Tourney are made available for scholarships to Arizona Indians for college tuition costs or for registration fees and books. The grants are in amounts of \$200 each per year and are renewable. A number of students are assisted each year.

Requests should be made to Joe Sanders, Southwest All-Indian Basketball Tourney, 4311 N. 9th Avenue, Phoenix Arizona 85014.

**SANTE FE FOUNDATION.** This non-profit organization sponsored by the Santa Fe Railway awards four 4-year scholarships annually to high school students of 1/4 or more degree Indian blood who reside in States served by the Santa Fe Railway and who qualify in the scholarship qualifying test given high school juniors each year in high schools throughout the Nation by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation, which selects the award winners. The test is open to all high school seniors each year; Indian students taking it compete only against other Indian students for the Santa Fe Foundation awards. The amount of each award is based on the student's individual need and can cover all expenses when necessary. Indian students taking the scholarship qualifying test should state that they are Indian and wish to be considered for the Sante Fe Foundation's Indian scholarship as well as any of the other scholarships in which they are interested.

**UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN THE U.S.A.** As a part of its larger program to assist underprivileged youth, this church

group has a field office devoted to the counseling of American Indian youth of the Midwest and Southwest, to assist them in locating sources of scholarship aid; and to provide them directly with scholarship aid. Inquiries should be directed to the Reverend Roe B. Lewis, Field Counselor, the United Presbyterian Church in the U.S.A., 55 East Indian School Road, Phoenix, Arizona 85012.

**UNITED SCHOLARSHIP SERVICE.** Grants are made to students of American Indian ancestry for undergraduate work in regionally accredited colleges and universities and for training in accredited nursing schools. The scholarships are awarded on the basis of a student's having promise of a successful academic career, financial need and availability of other assistance, good character, plan for education and future work, and attendance at a regionally accredited school.

Several **Sequoyah Scholarships** of \$1,000 each are awarded annually for the junior year of college to students who have demonstrated academic excellence during their first two years at a regionally accredited 4-year college or university. These may be renewed for the senior year if the students maintain good records during their junior years' work.

Application forms and further information may be obtained by writing the United Scholarship Service, P. O. Box 18285, Capitol Hill Station, Denver, Colorado 80218.

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